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IN THE CLAIMS

- 1. (Currently amended) A door comprising a plurality of sections with one section pivotally moveable with respect to a next section, each section comprising a panel having an outer surface and a one-piece panel overlay affixed the-reto-to-the-outer-surface and completely covering said outer surface, said panel overlays collectively forming a façade so that the garage door simulates an object, and wherein each panel overlay has a molded surface contour corresponding to a pre-selected extent of the object.
- 2. (Currently amended) The garage door according to claim 2, wherein A door comprising a plurality of sections with one section pivotally moveable with respect to a next section, each section comprising a panel and a panel overlay affixed thereto, said panel overlays collectively forming a façade so that the garage door simulates an object, and wherein each panel overlay has a molded surface corresponding to a preselected extent of the object, each panel having an outer face, an upper face, and a lower face, the upper and lower faces of vertically adjacent panel overlays have being parallel faces, and said adjacent panel overlays are being spaced to define a gap and wherein said parallel faces are angled oriented at a predetermined angle which is not perpendicular to said panel outer face to cover said gap when viewed from a preselected angle.
- 3. (currently amended)The garage door according to claim 1, wherein each panel overlay is a mold of an impression of a pre-selected portion of said object.
- 4. (currently amended)The garage door of according to claim 3, wherein said panel comprises a rectangular box and wherein said panel overlay has a rectangular perimeter in registration with a perimeter of said steel box.
- 5. (currently amended)The garage door according to claim 4, wherein said object comprises said panel overlays together simulate a carriage door.

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6. (currently amended)The garage door according to claim 5, wherein panel overlay comprises molded urethane.

- 7. (currently amended) The garage door according to claim 6, wherein said panel overlay is adhered to said panel with glue.
- 8. (currently amended) The garage door according to claim 7, wherein said panel overlay is further secured to said panel with nails.
 - 9. (canceled)
 - 10. (canceled)
 - 11. (canceled)
- 12. (currently amended)A façade according to claim 9 claim 15, comprising wherein the panel overlays comprise moldings of respective adjacent vertical sections of the an object to be simulated by the façade.
- 13. (currently amended)A façade according to claim 12, comprising wherein each panel overlay is formed from molded urethane.
- 14. (currently amended)A façade according to claim 13, wherein said object comprises panel overlays together simulate a carriage door.
- 15. (new) A façade for a roll-up door comprising a set of panel overlays, each panel overlay comprising a one-piece, rectangular sheet of material having a shaped outer surface for simulating a portion of an object and being of predetermined shape and dimensions corresponding to the shape and dimensions of a panel of a roll-up door, whereby each panel overlay can be secured over a respective panel of a roll-up door so as to completely cover the respective panel, said panel overlays being adapted to be aligned with one another when secured over respective hinged panels of a roll-up door to define an outline of the door.

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16. (new) A roll-up garage door, comprising:

a plurality of door panels each having upper and lower horizontal edges and an outer face, the door panels being arranged in a coplanar, vertically spaced relationship to close a predetermined door opening when in a deployed condition, each panel being pivotally connected to the next adjacent panel;

a plurality of one-piece panel overlays, each panel overlay being of predetermined shape and dimensions substantially matching the shape and dimensions of a respective door panel, and being secured to the outer surface of the respective door panel so as to completely cover the outer surface of the panel; and

each panel overlay having an outer surface of predetermined surface contour for simulating a portion of a predetermined object, the panel overlays collectively forming a façade for simulating said predetermined object.

17. A method of making a multiple section, roll-up door which simulates a selected object, comprising the steps of:

taking a plurality of impressions of a selected object to be duplicated, each impression having predetermined peripheral dimensions corresponding to one section of the roll-up sectional door to be fabricated;

forming a mold from each impression;

molding a panel overlay in each mold; and

securing each panel overlay to the outer face of a respective pivoted panel of a roll-up door, the panel overlay completely covering and concealing the outer surface of the panel;

whereby the panel overlays together form a façade simulating the object from which the molds were formed.

18. The method as claimed in claim 17, wherein the object is a carriage door.